

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

Claims 1-40 (cancelled)

41. (currently amended)      A two-part foamed polyethylene terephthalate (PET) container, comprising:

an upper ~~outer~~ foamed polyethylene terephthalate (PET) part ~~container~~, wherein the ~~outer container~~ has having a first integral skin and a first density, ~~and~~ wherein the first integral skin has a first surface weight percent crystallinity; and

a lower ~~an inner~~ foamed polyethylene terephthalate (PET) part ~~connected to the upper foamed polyethylene terephthalate (PET) part~~ ~~tray positioned within the outer container~~, wherein the lower part ~~inner tray~~ has a second integral skin and a second density, and wherein the second integral skin has second surface weight percent crystallinity; and

wherein the second density ~~and the second surface weight percent crystallinity of the inner tray~~ is greater than the first density, and wherein the second ~~first~~ surface weight percent crystallinity ~~of the upper part outer container~~ is greater than the first surface weight percent crystallinity.